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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Mohammed Javed Absar et al.  
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2005, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on May 14, 2005. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.